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SUNDAY'S STORMS.

Storms which swept over and around Richmond Sunday night carried devastation in their trail and did great damage in some sections. The storm, whose center seems to have been from 15 to 25 miles northwest of Richmond, destroyed the crops to a large extent in parts of Hanover, Goochland and Powhatan. In the latter county the destruction in a narrow belt east of the courthouse was almost complete. The hail, as large as partridge eggs, fell in enormous quantities, and not only cut down every growing crop, but stripped the leaves from those trees left standing by the tornado. Barns and fences were blown down, dwellings unroofed, chimneys hurled down and windows blown in. The hail lay on the ground six inches deep and the people were panic-stricken. Great trees that had stood the storms of centuries fell before this one. So far no loss of life has been reported, but the destruction leaves a number of farmers without prospects for the year and not even feed for their stock. At Glen Allen, twelve miles north of Richmond, the storm took the form of a cloudburst. Two artificial lakes on Captain Curron's place holding millions of gallons were flooded, and they broke their dams. The water flooded over a fill of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad, sealing the rails. Freight train No. 112 ran over the flooded section. One track it settled so much that though the engine passed the cars jumped the track and piled up in a confused wreck, 12 having been smashed beyond repair. Engineer C. M. Keeton was the only person hurt, and his injuries were trifling. The lightning also did considerable damage, several barns being burned. The Southern depot in Manchester was set on fire by lightning. The blaze was extinguished by the fire department with damage to the roof. Dispatches from all sections of the State show that the storm was general, hail and lightning doing much damage.

TORNADOES IN NEBRASKA.—As has been stated in the Gazette, a series of heavy storms, two of which developed into the worst tornadoes that have visited southern Nebraska for years, passed over portions of Clay, Franklin and Kearney counties Sunday evening. Fifteen persons are known to have lost their lives and over a score of persons were more or less seriously injured. Near Norman, at the home of Daniel McCurdy, a number of relatives and friends were spending the day, and not one in the house escaped death or serious injury. Two miles south of Upland German Lutheran services were being held in a schoolhouse when the storm struck and demolished it, killing four of the occupants, including the minister, and injuring a number of others. The storm was equally destructive at Fairfield, but the people were warned of its coming and sought cellars for safety. Six dwellings were blown to pieces at that place, but their occupants escaped injury, with a few exceptions. Every dwelling and outbuilding in the path of the tornado was blown to pieces and the financial loss thus far accounted for will reach about \$60,000.

WAR AND FAMINE.—Japanese correspondents at Peking tell of large guns arriving over the trans-Siberian Railway from Manchuria. The war feeling in Japan continues and war preparations are still going on. Heartrending details of the suffering and death of families as a result of the famine are reported. Mr. Hess, missionary at Wu Chow, who has been investigating on behalf of the Hongkong charities, says that owing to three successive failures of crops people are starving and dying by hundreds. During March and April it is computed that 30,000 people were sold, men selling themselves for employment in the Straits settlement, and the woman and children being sold into slavery on the coast. Story after story of distress was told by the missionary. He told of famished people dying in the act of eating when food was brought to them; of people reduced to skeletons being abandoned, and of mothers selling daughters into lives of slavery for a mere bottle of rice. It was said by the missionary's report that thousands would perish unless speedy relief is given.

FORESTALLED THE UNION.—The firm of Smith & Wesson, revolver-makers, closed their factory at Springfield, Mass., yesterday evening for an indefinite period. This step is taken, it is believed, because of labor troubles, the men having signified their intention of forming a union despite the opposition of the firm. The following notice was posted yesterday: "This factory will be closed tonight, and remain closed until further orders, for purposes of reorganization." Last week a number of employees were questioned regarding their connection with the move to form a union, and as a result 11 were discharged. The firm threatened at that time to shut down the

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Haw River, N. C., Feb. 7, 1896.

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